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Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) cured my little boy of hereditary scrofula. He broke out all over his face. For a year he had suffered, and I had given up all hopes of his recovery, when at length I decided to use S. S. S. After using a few bottles he was entirely cured. No more symptoms remain of the disease. This was three years ago.
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EL CAMPO.
The camp fire burns with a glow—
My comrades' voices in a murmur sweet—
Alone my silent watch I keep
In measured marches to and fro
The thrifty dances with the breeze
Borne on the velvet wings of night
The moonbeams quiver with delight
And chase each other through the trees
Pale ghosts of memory throng my brain:
I seem to hear dear voices speak
What means these tears upon my cheek
This cruel, numbing, nameless pain?
I thought the past lay buried deep
Amid the scenes beyond the sea
Behold! it closer clings to me
And chides me that I fail to weep.
Here out upon the Peace plain,
Far from the mad'ning world of strife,
We reckless cowboys seek our life
Exposed to danger, toil and pain
Without these dreams of love and home,
What life which makes us men of earth?
Forgotten of our noble birth,
I fear the most of us would roam
—Galveston Daily News

MY FIRST BEAU.
My first beau was named Longfellow Tibbs. He had been named after the distinguished poet at a very early age and without any thought of the future. I scarcely think if his parents had known what a very short fellow he would grow up to be they would have distinguished him by an appellation so open to jokes. However, they did it.
I had known him as a little boy, and when I was 17 years old and keeping house for my granduncle Joshua, he called and sent up his card. He had come to the city to honor the firm of Tape & Buttons with his presence behind its notions counter.
I was pleased to see him, and told him so, and he replied:
"I scarcely expected it. I thought you would not have known me. The ravages of time must have changed me greatly. They have only improved you, you know, but, combined with care, they have traced many lines upon my brow, I know."
I remembered that he had recently acquired a stepfather who was said to flog him frequently, so I looked sympathetically.
"You certainly had long curls and wore frocks when I saw you last, Mr. Tibbs," I said. "And you must be 19 now."
"And a half," he added, gloomily, "and a half. However, my heart is young yet. You are keeping house for an uncle, I am told, Miss Rosina."
"Yes," I said. "He is awfully nice and so lonely. Mamma spared me to him for that reason."
"What a happy man he is! How enviable," said Mr. Tibbs, "to have a niece to keep his house."
"Perhaps, Mr. Tibbs," said I, "when you are as old as Uncle Joshua you may also have a niece to keep house for you."
"Perhaps," he said, gloomily, "but I don't see how that can be, as I have neither brothers nor sisters."
Just then a bell rang and Uncle Joshua called over the stairs to me to "Ask the little boy to stay to dinner, and come at once."
Mr. Tibbs refused this courteous invitation with a little haughtiness. He prided himself on being rather old, and departed for the time. However, he came again, and still again, and in the course of a month began to propose to me.
I speak correctly. Other people, I believe, "pop the question" once and have done with it.
I never knew of the most ardent passion outliving three rejections; but Longfellow Tibbs went through a course of them as though they were lessons in something.
He always went away in despair, but returned to the charge as fresh as ever. His tailor bill must have been greatly increased by his tender passion. I am sure, for he always went on his knees to offer himself, and was twice caught at it—once by the chambermaid and once by Uncle Joshua.
At last he began to threaten self destruction, and one evening left me, swearing that I should never see him again alive.
I did not believe that he was in earnest; but I felt a little anxious, nevertheless, when a week passed by without any news of him—and I rather missed him, too. I must admit, but judge of my horror when, one evening, a messenger boy put into my hands an envelope sealed with black wax and wearing a mourning border an inch wide, and opening it I read these words:
"MISS OR MADAME—The enclosed having been found upon the body of a gentleman who has just drowned himself in the Hudson river, I inclose it to your address, imagining that it may interest you."
THE CITY CORNER.
Tremblingly I tore open an envelope which was inclosed and read this:
"DEAR ROSINA—Yes, standing on the verge of a watery grave, I may address you thus—dearest Rosina, your cruelty has driven me to desperation. Without you I am wretched. You will not be mine; therefore I will no longer live. Ere you read this I shall be no longer among the living. I am a lover of despair. Yet, if my departed ghost can visit these terrestrial scenes, I shall come to you in those bright moonlight hours I have so loved because they brought me to your side, and you shall know that I am with you—by a breath, a whisper or a touch.
"In my death perhaps you may give me what in my life you have denied—your love."
"Your wretched and devoted
"LONGFELLOW TIBBS."
I read the document to the end, and went off into hysterics. Happily Uncle Joshua was away on a fishing party, and no one came to me but the chambermaid.
She was young, pretty and sympathetic. I felt obliged to have some confidence, and I told her everything. She wept with me over the "poor young gentleman's" untimely fate, but declared that I was not to blame, for "nobody could rattle" every one that asked them, and instanced one Patrick O'Rourke, who threatened to dynamite himself the last time he was in the city, and was shot. She was young, pretty and sympathetic. I felt obliged to have some confidence, and I told her everything. She wept with me over the "poor young gentleman's" untimely fate, but declared that I was not to blame, for "nobody could rattle" every one that asked them, and instanced one Patrick O'Rourke, who threatened to dynamite himself the last time he was in the city, and was shot.
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"Yes, I awarded the prize to the one that tried to play 'Parsifal'."
"Why, they murdered it!"
"They did, indeed, but in trying to play it at all they showed the quality of their brass."—Harper's Bazar.

Agile Woman.
The delegate was recently riding on the rear platform of a Fifth street car when, as the horses sped along, a pretty, rose cheeked, agile young lady, with skirts gathered neatly in one hand, swung gracefully about and took a seat. "She's pretty active," remarked the delegate. "Oh, she does that every day," replied the conductor. "We never stop for her. There are a number of ladies on this line who never signal the driver to stop. They take pride in showing their agility. One of these is an old lady of 60 years, and she is one of our most regular passengers. No matter how fast the car is going she can swing on as easily and gracefully as a man. We never stop for her. It would make her angry if we did. But if her husband is long he signals us to stop. He doesn't like to have his aged wife appear so giddy, and besides, he is troubled with gout to such an extent that, if he were to attempt to board a car while in motion, he would measure his length on the street."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

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